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CIRCULATING THROUGHOUT THE VAST AGRICULTURAL AREA OF PALM BEACH COUNTY

## Doris Sasser In As Pahokee PTA Head

Mrs. Doris Sasser was installed president of the Pahokee Parent-Teacher Association at the final meeting of the current school year held in the high school auditorium Monday night.

Other officers inducted at the meeting were William McKinstry, first vice president; Mrs. Edward A. Jensen, second vice president; Mrs. Al Beverly, secretary, and Mrs. Ernest Maxwell, treasurer.

Mrs. H. C. Graham acted as installing officer and presented corsages to the officers at the conclusion of the induction ceremony.

Mrs. Ernest Maxwell gave the treasurer's annual report and Mrs. Ralph Stanley, manager of the school cafeteria, gave the annual report on the operation of the cafeteria which is sponsored by PTA.

The monthly attendance awards were won by Mrs. Cleo Douthett's third grade room at the elementary school and by M. Thompson's eighth grade group at the junior high school.

Following the business session, Bandmaster Robert O. Lampi presented his Tonette Band from the elementary school in a concert of popular numbers.

## Albert Fremd New Hospital Chairman

Albert Fremd of Canal Point was elected chairman of the Northwestern Palm Beach County Public Hospital Board at the annual election of officers conducted by the board Monday night. Mr. Fremd succeeds Chester A. Batchelor of Pahokee who has served as board chairman for the past several years.

Other officers elected were Mrs. R. J. Schroder of Pahokee, vice chairman, and M. D. Geiger of Canal Point, secretary-treasurer. The board also includes M. P. Stanley and Mr. Batchelor.

Other attending the board meeting at the hospital Monday night were Attorney Ralph O. Johnson and T. C. Richardson, superintendent of the Everglades Memorial Hospital.

## Family Night For Pahokee Lions Group

Pahokee Lions have plans to entertain their wives and children at an outdoor "family night" party to be held at the city park Friday evening, May 16. The party will include a barbecue, swimming in the municipal pool, softball and other games and music for dancing on the tennis courts. This affair is to take the place of the club's annual ladies night program.

Melvin Spooner was elected tailtwister to fill the vacancy left by the resignation of Duncan Padgett. It was announced the installation of all newly elected officers will be conducted at the club's May 20th luncheon.

Jess Elliott was in charge of the ceremony welcoming Frank Tillis into Lionism.

## Schroder Is Chosen For Short Course

R. J. Schroder, Pahokee city waterworks superintendent, has been recommended by Dr. C. L. Brumback, county health officer, as one of the eight outstanding waterworks superintendents in Palm Beach County best qualified to serve on the water and sewage works operators committee at the annual short course in Gainesville in June. The other seven waterworks superintendents recommended by Dr. Brumback for the committee were from West Palm Beach and Boca Raton.

## Bacom Point Road To Get Royal Palms

The roadside beautification of Bacom Point Road, a project of the Hibiscus Garden Circle, will get under way this week, according to plans announced at a meeting of the circle Tuesday at the home of Mrs. O. B. McClure, with Mrs. Ruth Meredith, co-hostess.

The beautification program calls for the planting of a continuous row of royal palm trees along the side of Bacom Point Road within the city limits and the placing of hibiscus between the palms. The circle has available for immediate planting 310 palms of planting size. Funds for the purchase of 75 of these palms were donated by O. B. McClure. Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Shaughnessy and Mrs. Frank Friend have each donated \$10 to this project. The circle is welcoming any assistance by home owners who live on Bacom Point Road.

It was announced the Hibiscus Circle is also assuming as a project the beautification of the old cemetery grounds on Bacom Point Road. The secretary was instructed to contact local scout officials and request that the old building formerly used as a scout hut, be removed from the grounds.

Mrs. Frank Friend, newly elected president of the Pahokee-Canal Point Garden Club, asked circle members to offer suggestions for next year's program at the general meeting of club in the Woman's Club building May 20. Reports on the annual meeting of the State Federation of Garden Clubs were given by Mrs. Don Hillier and Mrs. Frank Friend, who attended as local delegates. Mrs. Ruth Townsend of St. Petersburg was a visitor.

## Cheer Leaders Are Chosen For 1952-53

Pahokee High School students chose this week cheerleaders to lead the cheers for their athletic teams through the 1952-53 school year.

The cheerleaders chosen for the Senior High varsity teams were Billie Nell Stokes, Bonnie Meeks, Joan Goodson, Ann Atkins, Lovda Point.

terminates, Patzy Maurer and Margia Jean Guthrie. Selected to lead the Junior High cheering section were Mary Arthur Kirk, Lynette Hammond, Jan Chastain, Annette McIntosh, Betty Echols, Joyce Cobb and Valerie Geiger.

## Mayor Friend Is Re-Elected Tues.

Mayor Lewis Friend was re-elected for another two-year term of office at the runoff election at the Pahokee city hall Tuesday. Mayor Friend received 418 votes and his opponent, Carmen Salvatore, Sr., 333 votes, in the runoff.

Mayor Friend, together with Chief of Police Guthrie, City Clerk Dorothy Graham and Councilmen J. H. Wilkinson, Jr., R. B. Simonson and Loren Meredith were scheduled to be sworn into office at a special meeting of the city council Wednesday night.

## Special Service

All families of the Pahokee First Baptist Church are invited to be present and sit together for a demonstration of a Family Altar and Home Dedication Service at the church Wednesday, May 22, at 7:30 p. m.

## Blood Drive Will Be Held On May 30

Considerable interest has been shown in the blood drive for the Armed Forces, which will be culminated on Memorial Day, May 30th, when the mobile unit from the Blood Bank of Dade County will be set up in the Pahokee Lions Club Building to receive blood donations from the Pahokee-Canal Point area.

Rev. James Roy, Pastor of the Canal Point Methodist Church, has been named general Chairman for the Canal Point area, and is asking the active cooperation of all organizations and individuals there toward making this drive an outstanding success.

The Pahokee Lions Club has offered its full cooperation, and at their regular meeting last Monday night the Fred & Percy Mansfield Post of the American Legion agreed to give its active support. Commander Paul Collier appointed a strong Committee to assist in promoting the drive. Efforts are being made to contact all other organizations in the area within the next few days.

A motion picture which was produced by the Armed Forces in cooperation with the American Red Cross, and which runs for 20 minutes, is available to be shown to organizations and other groups. Arrangements to show this picture may be made by calling Ed Jensen in Pahokee, or Rev. Roy in Canal Point.

Several inquiries have been received as to the part the Red Cross is playing in the collection of Blood for the Armed Forces. In order to clarify the matter we would like to explain that the Armed Forces selected the Red Cross as a coordinating agency, to assist in promoting the local blood drives, and to act as a go-between between local chairmen and groups and the hospital blood banks which actually collect the blood.

The blood, when taken, immediately becomes the property of the Armed Forces, and not other organization has any further interest in or control over it. The Red Cross receives no pay for their services in this project.

## New Patrolman To Be On Lookout For Teenage Speeders

Cpl. E. D. Dugger of the Florida Highway Patrol was transferred this week from West Palm Beach to the FHP district office in Pahokee where he will cooperate with local officials in the drive against teenage speeding in this area. Dugger's family will join him here later.

Patrolman Eugene Wright, who has been serving in the Pahokee-Canal Point area for more than a year, is scheduled to be transferred to Delray Beach on June 1.

## Baptist Revival Is Called A Success

In the revival meeting which ended last Sunday night the Pahokee Baptist Church received 22 new members. Of this number 4 were received by a transfer of membership from other Baptist churches. All others will be baptized into the local church.

The 10 days meeting was marked by high attendance and enthusiastic activity. The evangelist, Arthur Rich of Delray Beach's First Baptist Church, and Miller Mikell of Greenville, S. C. were lauded by the church leaders for their efforts in the revival.

Those received into the church were: By Letter: James T. Holden, Mrs. Glynn Carr, Donald Eskew and Donald Thompson; For Baptism: Brenda Kay Unwin, Rebecca Barwick, Jeff Barwick, Homer Feasure, Tommy Collins, Ladora Crosby, Michael Wilson, Mrs. Leon Guthrie, Eva Gail Guthrie, Betty Ray Gillis, J. C. "Pat" Schoepel, Milton Wilson, Betty Ann Raineri, Joyce Brown, Arthur "Tripp" Alderman, Jeanette Spooner, John Guerry and Carolyn Crosby.

Sunday Morning, May 18, Rev. W. Hal Hunter, the pastor, will speak on "Baptists on the March." At 8:00 o'clock that evening his subject will be "The Touches of Life."

## Youthful Drivers Hear Pahokee Pastor

Some of our young people have confused the expression "Land of the free and home of the brave," stated W. Hal Hunter to the students of Pahokee High School last Monday. He added, they have interpreted "brave" to mean "reckless" and "free" to abolish their responsibility to traffic laws. Hunter was introducing Florida Highway Patrolman Howell Gillett who spoke to the students concerning the dangers of disobeying traffic laws. After his talk he presented a film showing the causes of most accidents.

The chapel program was in response to the request of the Pahokee Rotary Club Safety Committee. The local club has been actively promoting safety since several parents reported "chicken" driving at excessive speeds on isolated highways and at the Pahokee Air Port.

Hal Hunter is chairman of the Rotary Committee. Serving with him are B. Elliott, Joe Waddell, Robert Lampi and Charles McCurdy.

## Commencement Is Scheduled May 28

Commencement exercises for the Pahokee High School Class of 1952 will be held in the high school auditorium Wednesday, May 28, at 8:15 p. m. The commencement address will be delivered by Fred Dickinson, West Palm Beach attorney. County Superintendent Howell Watkins will present the diplomas to the graduates. The professional and recessional will be played by the Pahokee High School Band under the direction of Bandmaster Robert O. Lampi. The band will also present a brief concert preceding the start of the exercises.

Baccalaureate services for the PHS Class of 1952 will be held in the school auditorium Sunday, May 25, at 8:15 p. m. The Rev. W. Hal Hunter, pastor of the Pahokee First Baptist Church, will deliver the baccalaureate sermon. The High School Glee Club, under the direction of Edwin Leggett will sing "The Lord is My Shepherd" and "Beautiful Savior."

## Teenage Speeders Hear Safety Talk

Howell Gillet of Miami, Florida Highway Patrol traffic safety education specialist, told Pahokee High School students at a special assembly in the high school auditorium Monday morning that "more Florida young men of draft age are being killed in senseless and avoidable traffic accidents than on the Korean battlefront."

The special assembly was sponsored by the Pahokee Rotary Club in cooperation with the high school faculty as a part of the club's educational program to curb teenage speeding in this area.

In pointing out there have been 32 more lives lost in Florida traffic accidents this year to date than last year, the speaker stressed the fact a large percentage of traffic deaths are the result of excessive speeding. He carefully reviewed state laws regulating the driving of motor vehicles by teenage youth and warned the students the Florida Highway Patrol is transferring a new patrolman to this area with instructions that these laws be strictly enforced.

Mr. Gillet also showed an educational film on "Highway Safety" and introduced Tommy Collins, fifth grade pupil at the Pahokee Elementary School, who gave a report on his recent trip to Washington, D. C., where he represented the School's Safety Patrol at the National Safety Patrol Convention in that city.

The assembly was opened by Principal Clyde A. Canipe who introduced the Rev. W. Hal Hunter, chairman of the Rotary Club's Teenage Safety Committee. The Rev. Hunter spoke briefly of his committee's goal to solve the local teenage speeding problem through education and self-discipline before he introduced the guest speaker.

Lightner Museum of Hobbies, located in the heart of St. Augustine, is a vast treasure house of interest to all ages.

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## News Notes From State Capital

TALLAHASSEE — The capital city, which gave Dan McCarthy a lead of more than two to one over Alto Adams in the first primary, is warily watching the second primary campaign between McCarthy and Bralley Odam who several years ago created a local sensation with his charges of attempted legislative bribery. The political heat is off those who supported former Supreme Court Justice Adams, whose 11-year residence here had won him many firm friends. To compete with the finely organized group supporting McCarthy, a new organization in support of Odam is beginning to take from, where before the first primary, only a handful was identified publicly with the Sanford candidate. In other races, Supreme Court Justice B. K. Roberts is being congratulated for his decisive victory in his first state-wide attempt, and Richard Mack, chairman of the Florida Railroad and Public Utilities Commission, has won recognition as possessor of great state-wide strength as a result of his first primary win over three opponents, and in a time when many public utility rates are at issue.

TALLAHASSEE — The state cabinet, which directs state hotel policy, has ordered the magnificent Sea Isle Hotel of Miami Beach closed for 30 days because book-making was permitted there. James T. Landon, hotel commissioner, said there was no direct testimony that the hotel management knew about the bookies. Although Attorney General Ervin urged the hotel be closed for a full year, the maximum, to show the state meant business.

TALLAHASSEE — Teachers were back at their desks in Florida this week after a Florida Education Association convention in Miami that seemed to promise them better pay. Robert Tuhner of Coral Gables was elected president, succeeding A. L. Vergason of Tampa. Directors elected include Miss Barbara Ainsworth, Tallahassee; Mrs. Clarice Burns, Tampa; Mrs. Frances Nippert, St. Petersburg; Mrs. Margaret McGill, Jacksonville; Mrs. Pauline Ball, Jacksonville; Paul Divison, Miami; Hugh Allsworth, Miami; John Beay, Ocala; and Roy Crosby, Ft. Lauderdale. The delegates refused to consider a resolution calling for a general strike of teachers to force a special legislative session to raise teaching salaries.

TALLAHASSEE — Southeastern Telephone Company has been ordered to reduce rates and to rebate over payments in its service area, reaching from Tallahassee west to Fort Walton. The Florida Railroad and Public Utilities Commission had granted temporary increases last October, then studied the effects. It announced that earnings of the company should be increased no more than \$154,000 a year, while the temporary rates would return \$305,000, hence the reduction.

TALLAHASSEE — "Every tyrant of our day has made the destruction of the judiciary's independence one of his first objectives," Justice B. K. Roberts of the Florida supreme court told attorneys here in their spring meeting. Justice Roberts pled with the attorneys to carry on the fight they have made successfully in this country to keep the judiciary free from political control. Such freedom has been linked throughout American history with freedom of the press, Roberts continued. He cited the 1793 case of John Peter Zenger who risked liberty and his prop-

erty to print in his New York Journal a protest by Chief Justice Morris against an attempt by the colonial governor to make the judiciary servile to his will. This case, the Florida justice said, marked the first great milestone in freedom of the press for the people of America.

TALLAHASSEE — After April 30, it is unlawful for candidates to accept money donations, declares Attorney General Richard W. Ervin. The last day on which campaign contributions may be received and used for the first primary is April 30. Anything received less than five days before the election must be returned to the person giving it. This is a part of the 1951 election code covering campaign spending.

TALLAHASSEE — Senator Estes Kefauver of Tennessee has come and gone in this capital city, leaving a profound impression behind that he cannot be discounted as a campaigner. He missed seeing Governor Warren by a few minutes, but shook hands around the capitol, ate at a nearby restaurant and then resumed his flying organizational trip.

### Henderson - Barnes

Plans have been announced for the wedding of Miss Gloria Ann Henderson and S-Sgt. Ernest James Barnes which will be an event at the Pahokee First Baptist Church Sunday, May 18, at 2 p. m. with the Rev. W. Hal Hunter, pastor of the church, officiating at the double ring ceremony.

Miss Henderson has chosen as her attendants Miss Stella Sue Barnes, sister of the bridegroom, maid of honor, and Miss Sibyl Jensen, bridesmaid.

Marvin Baker will be S-Sgt. Barnes' best man. Marvin Hamilton of Tampa, Kenneth Johnson of Clewiston and Ralph Crews of Pahokee will serve as ushers.

The program of nuptial music will be presented by Miss Margaret Powell, pianist; Mrs. Wendell Harris and Mrs. Thurmon Knight, vocalists.

The ceremony will be followed by a reception at the Woman's Club building, with Miss Henderson's parents acting as hosts. No formal invitations are being issued but all friends of the couple are invited to attend both the wedding and reception.

RE: EAST SHORE DRAINAGE DISTRICT TAXES FOR YEAR 1952

Notice is hereby given that in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 20694, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1941, the Board of Supervisors of EAST SHORE DRAINAGE DISTRICT, a drainage district organized and existing under the laws of Florida, and embracing lands within Palm Beach County, has caused to be prepared a budget showing the Debt Service requirements of the District and the requirements of the district for maintenance, operation and administration during the year beginning on the first day of November, 1952, and ending on the thirty-first day of October, 1953. Said budget, among other things, shows the amount of Debt Service Tax and the amount of Maintenance Tax (Debt Service necessary to be levied upon the lands within said District for the year 1952.

The said budget is now on file and may be examined at the office of the Secretary of the District at Canal Point, Florida. The Board of Supervisors of East Shore Drainage District will meet at 10:00 o'clock A. M. on the 30th day of May, 1952, at the office of the Secretary of the District in Canal Point, Florida, for the purpose of hearing objections and complaints with respect to the said budget and for the purpose of transacting such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

DATED this 30th day of April, 1952.

BY ORDER OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF EAST SHORE DRAINAGE DISTRICT  
By: Harold Rosenberg, Its Secretary  
Pub: May 9, 16, 1952.

### Farm Bureau Has Dinner Meeting

Jim Roberts of Winter Park, an official of the Florida Farm Bureau, was guest speaker at dinner meeting of the Everglades Unit of the FFB held at the County Park Community Center in Canal Point Thursday evening of last week, with President Floyd Erickson presiding. The subject of his talk was "The Farm Bureau Program and its Relation to Inflation."

J. F. Waddell, program chairman, also introduced Bandmaster Robert O. Lampi who presented the soloists and the ensemble from the Pahokee High School Band who won superior ratings in the recent district and state band contests: Lynn Shirley, who played a piano solo; John Rogers, a sousa-piano solo, and Bonnie Miller Donna Jo Spooner, Val Galbaldon and Millard Stanley, a saxophone quartet. Charlene Stuckey and Daisy Mae Miller sang a spiritual duet, accompanied at the piano by Barbara Jean Miller.

On the committee in charge of the barbecue dinner which preceded the meeting were Lloyd Hundley, Gene Pickett, Hilton Jones Joe Waddell and J. K. Baker.

RE: PAHOKEE DRAINAGE DISTRICT TAXES FOR YEAR 1952

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 18042, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1951, the Board of Supervisors of PAHOKEE DRAINAGE DISTRICT, a drainage district organized and existing under the laws of Florida, and embracing lands within Palm Beach County, has caused to be prepared a budget showing the Debt Service requirements of the District and of the East Unit thereof and the requirements of the East Unit of the District for maintenance, operation and administration during the year beginning on the first day of November, 1952, and ending on the thirty-first day of October, 1953. Said budget, among other things, shows the amount of the East Unit Debt Service Tax, and the amount of East Unit Maintenance Tax per acre necessary to be levied upon the lands within said District for the year 1952.

The said budget is now on file and may be examined at the office of the Secretary of the District at Canal Point, Florida. The Board of Supervisors of Pahokee Drainage District will meet at 10:30 o'clock A. M. on the 30th day of May, 1952, at the office of the Secretary of the District in Canal Point, Florida, for the purpose of hearing objections and complaints with respect to the said budget and for the purpose of transacting such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

DATED this 30th day of April, 1952.

BY ORDER OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF PAHOKEE DRAINAGE DISTRICT  
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### To Open Art School

GAINESVILLE—For five weeks this summer, Tarpon Springs will be transformed into a place of brushes and easels.

According to an announcement, the Department of Art of the University of Florida and the General Extension Division will open the first are school at the picturesque Gulf Coast village June 16. The school will continue through July 19.

"Tarpon Springs has been selected for the location of the art school because of its varied and exciting subject matter," said Stuart Purser, head of the art department. "Students, artists and teachers can find stimulating subjects with the unique sponge and fishing industries adding much to the village's natural beauty."

Oil painting, watercolor and drawing will be offered for University credit. Hotel Villa Plumaosa will be headquarters for the school and special rates will be given summer school students.

### NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 18042, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1951, the Board of Supervisors of EAST BEACH WATER CONTROL DISTRICT, a drainage district organized and existing under the laws of Florida, and embracing lands within Palm Beach County, has caused to be prepared a budget showing the requirements of the District for maintenance, operation and administration during the year beginning on the first day of November, 1952, and ending on the thirty-first day of October, 1953. Said budget, among other things, shows the amount of Maintenance Tax per acre necessary to be levied upon the lands within said District for the year 1952.

The said budget is now on file and may be examined by any interested person at the office of the Secretary of the District at Canal Point, Florida. The Board of Supervisors of East Beach Water Control District will meet at 8:00 o'clock A. M. on the 31st day of May, 1952, at the office of the Secretary of the District in Canal Point, Florida, for the purpose of hearing objections and complaints with respect to the said budget, and for the purpose of transacting such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

BY ORDER OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF EAST BEACH WATER CONTROL DISTRICT  
By: Roy Vandegrift, Its President  
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## Election Officials Get Confidence Vote

Election officials this week won a vote of confidence from the Palm Beach County Commission. The action followed a recent county-wide check of all the voting machines used in last week's election at the request of Robert Ryan, defeated candidate for state senator who was swamped by a three to one vote by Sen Russell O. Morrow.

Ryan charged that he hadn't received all the votes to which he

was entitled and that there were "errors and mistakes" in the election.

The canvassing board failed to uncover any great errors in the re-check but did find a 10 vote mistake in precinct 13 where a 10 vote error was made in transferring the figures from a voting machine to a tally sheet.

The board received the canvassing groups certification of the election and made it a part of the record. It was the same certification that was forwarded earlier this week to Tallahassee.

Commissioner John Prince called attention to the fact that it was difficult to get clerks and board members to serve on elections and said "if they are going to be continually accused of juggling votes they are going to be harder to get."

At Prince's suggestion, the board voted to write every election official a letter "to assure them that the people of the county have the utmost confidence in their honesty and integrity."

The board also authorized advertising the polling places and names of the officials for the run-off election next week and instructed Frank Sakser, county voting machine custodian, to have run-off ballots prepared and the machines set up.

## Cinematic Chatter

By Malcolm Miller

As time rolls on toward the opening of the new Lake Drive-In Theatre interest increases and questions fly from all sides. Some ask if it is going to be hard to get in and out of these new contraptions. Well no . . . It is going to be as simple . . . even more simple, than walking out of an ordinary theatre with the outgoing crowd. You drive in on one side of the theatre, up to a well lighted ramp, stop and adjust your speaker in your car . . . sit back . . . relax and watch the picture. When the intermission arrives . . . Which will be announced from the screen . . . you make a bulls rush to the concession house and there you fill up on drinks, popcorn and what-have-you. After this moment of refreshment you go back to your car . . . relax again and finish the show. When the show over you drive over the ramp, moving along a well directed path out to the exit gate and onto the highway and home. You are viewing your picture privately so you may remove your shoes, socks or other portions of wearing apparel and make yourself just as comfortable as you wish. If you are married and have a passel of kids you can either listen to the little Indians or knock their brains out . . . all in the privacy of your car. You can even engage in a nice word tossing fight with your wife and who knows anything about it. If you are single you can, bundle your gal into the front seat and what do you care what the feature is about . . . You are having too much fun smooching. Brother, I'm for the Drive-In . . . I think its the greatest source of entertainment today—See you at the movies—Mal.

## General Meeting Of Garden Club Groups

The executive board of the Pahokee-Canal Point Garden Club at a meeting at the home of Mrs. Leo Maxwell Tuesday afternoon announced a general meeting of the club will be held at the Woman's Club building Tuesday, May 20. This meeting will include an installation luncheon at 12 noon when newly elected officers of the club and the four circles will be inducted by Mrs. Ivan Van Horn of Belle Glade, installing officers. The Pahokee Club voted to be host together with the Belle Glade Club at the State Conference of Presidents of Garden Clubs which will be held at Belle Glade June 2, with Mrs. Van Horn, District 6 director, presiding.

Miss Zella Jones is recuperating from an appendectomy performed recently at Good Samaritan Hospital, West Palm Beach.

## Good Government At Less Cost, Is Aim

ORLANDO—1952 National Tax Freedom Holiday, the first day this year on which a man can call a dollar his own, falls on May 19. All the average American has earned from January 1 to May 19 he must pay out in taxes—local, state and federal.

This is merely another way of saying that our overall tax load has increased to the point where it now takes 38 cents out of every dollar we earn. Out of each hour hour we work, the pay for 23 minutes is taken by government, in direct and hidden imposts.

Originator of the Tax Freedom Holiday observance is Dallas L. Hostetler executive director of the Florida State Retailers Association. His organization is waging a "grass roots" campaign for better government at less cost, and an end to waste, extravagance and corruption in governmental affairs.

"Dollars to doughnuts soon will be an even bet," the tax liberation holiday advocate declares.

By way of keeping his Association's "grass roots" Action Committee of local merchants alert and aggressive, Hostetler warns:

"If business men don't get more and more into politics, the politicians will get more and more into their business. It is time to vigorously demand Good Government at Less Cost—an end to waste and extravagance and constantly increasing tax burdens."

Comptroller C. M. Gay says Florida home owners who did not file applications for homestead exemption because they had not lived in Florida for one year, have until June 1 to claim the exemption on taxes up to \$5,000 in assessed valuation.

## Classified Ads

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Miss Elizabeth Ryals is spending a couple of weeks in Pahokee with her mother and family on leave from her Massachusetts base where she is in the Army Air Corps.

The Florida State Elk Association will open its 46th annual convention in St. Petersburg this year one day earlier than usual so that delegates can be home to vote in the second Florida primary.

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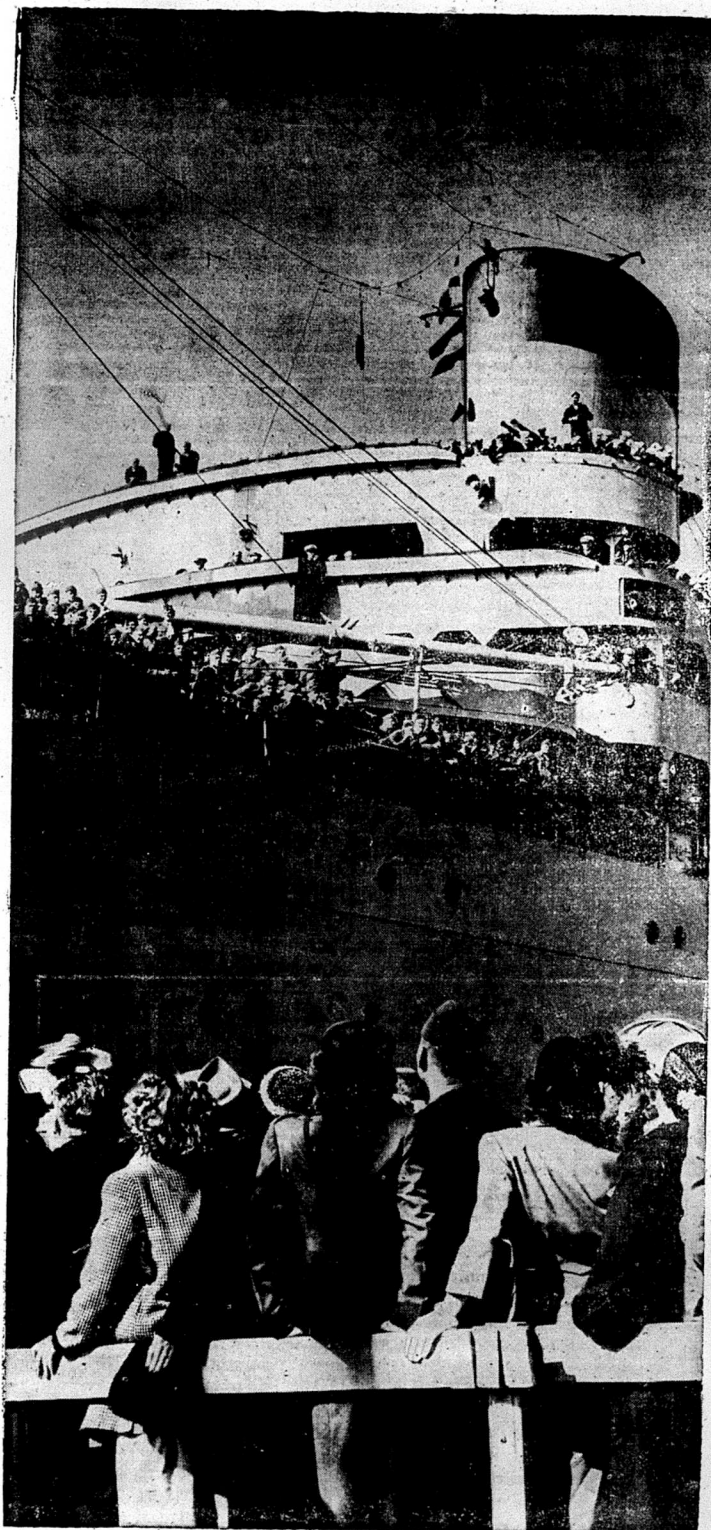
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## Flood Control Board Adopts Budget For New Fiscal Year Starting October 1

The Central and Southern Florida Flood Control District Governing Board last Saturday tentatively adopted a \$4,219,900 budget for the fiscal year starting Oct. 1, calling for the maximum authorized levy of one mill. The board ordered advertisement of the proposed budget with public hearings scheduled to start June 10 and final adoption by July 10.

The current budget is \$3,032,500 and the 1951 tax rate is .8 mill, according to W. Turner Wallis secretary. The proposed budget provides for additional maintenance and operation costs resulting from completion of cooperative works and transfer of works and facilities of the Everglades Drainage District as well as mounting general cost levels, he said.

Counted as revenue to be available the next fiscal year is \$1,114,400 in unobligated District funds to be carried over from the current fiscal year, including \$1,007,

087 from the Flood Control Account of the State General Revenue Funds, \$10,000 District General Fund and \$97,313 District Reserve Fund.

Other receipts anticipated are: \$1,759,000 expected to be available from the Flood Control Account; and a net of \$1,346,500 to be received from the District's ad valorem tax on an estimated \$1,490,000,000 taxable valuation on property in the 17 counties wholly or partly in the District.

The one mill is expected to raise \$1,385,000 compared to \$934,000 which sum was anticipated to be raised by .8 mill during the current year. The .2 mill increase accounts for \$269,200 and the remainder results from the estimated increased valuation.

The .5 mill levied by the Everglades Drainage District for its works and operations which are now largely the responsibility of the Flood Control District, has

been terminated, Mr. Wallis pointed out.

Expenditures include:

\$2,516,099 for construction with \$2,466,099 anticipated as available from the Flood Control Account for contribution to the Corps of Engineers to match construction funds for projects to be determined by the Federal Government; and \$50,000 available from local funds; \$997,041 for acquisition of lands, rights-of-way and relocations including \$300,000 from the Flood Control Account for lands in the construction areas, and \$697,041 in local funds for rights-of-way outside the water storage areas and for relocations of bridges and other structures; \$421,545 for maintenance and operation of the District works including \$233,550 for maintenance and operation compared to \$222,123.50 for the current fiscal year, only a small increase despite the assumption of responsibility for completed projects within the cooperative project and as a result of transfer from the EDD, plus \$187,995 for engineering against \$143,900 this year stemming from increased cooperative programs for necessary basic information, with the total District works maintenance and operation budget \$55,221.50 over the current fiscal year; \$187,902 for the conduct of the District generally, a \$2,938 reduction over the current year; and \$150,000 for reserve. Of this latter sum, \$97,313 is held in cash with \$52,687 represented in stockpiled materials and supplies for immediate emergency use and disaster needs.

### \$100,000 Received By County From Racing

State racing taxes have dumped \$100,000 into the county treasury this year—the last payment being a \$10,000 check received this week by the commission.

R. B. McKee, county auditor, said payments to take have totaled \$100,000 as the county share of the state race taxes. A final payment will be made in the future.

Other funds received this week by the commission included two gas tax checks; one for \$12,650 and another for \$7,541—both which were deposited to the general road and bridge fund.

W. C. DeLoach, who recently underwent surgery at the Pratt General Hospital Coral Gables, is convalescing at his home in Pahokee while on a 30-day furlough from the Armed Services.

## Births

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Browning of Canal Point announce the birth of a son, Ernest Floyd, at the Everglades Memorial Hospital, May 11.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Z. Holman of Chosen announce the birth of a daughter, Alice Faye, at the Everglades Memorial Hospital, May 11.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Ernest Locic Miller of South Bay announce the birth of a daughter, Joyce Marie, at the Everglades Memorial Hospital, May 9.

Mr. and Mrs. David Allen McLeod of Belle Glade announce the birth of a daughter, Cathey Jean, at the Everglades Memorial Hospital, May 9.

In 1887 the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad was known as the Florida Southern Railroad and was a narrow gauge line.

## Ralph Freeman Is Rotary Club Speaker

Ralph Freeman of Belle Glade, state inspector of weights, measures, eggs, meats, fertilizers and many other articles subject to state inspection, was guest speaker at the Thursday luncheon meeting of the Pahokee Rotary Club last week.

Introduced by President Harold Rosenberg, the speaker gave an interesting talk about his inspection work in the Glades area.

### APPRECIATION

We wish to thank the many fine folks who were so kind to us during our recent attacks of illness while we were in the hospital. Many cards and flowers arrived which brought us cheer and comfort. To each and every one we are deeply grateful.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Schoeppel

## Appreciation

To Pahokee Voters:

By results of the election on Tuesday you show that you have kept faith with me. By my actions as your Mayor in two years ahead I will keep faith with you.

I sincerely appreciate the splendid endorsement you gave me at the polls and I shall do those things in the future which will prove to be for the betterment of our City and its citizens.

Again, THANKS!

**Lewis Friend**

## SEALED BIDS

Will be received by the Governing Board of the Central and Southern Florida Flood Control District at the District offices in the Comeau Building in West Palm Beach, Fla., until 10 a. m. May 29, 1952 for purchase and removal of District Owned Property located at Sand Cut on State Road 15 listed below:

One 24x36 metal covered frame building.

Proposal blanks covering above property may be obtained by bona fide bidders upon application to District offices. The Governing Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

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# CHURCH and CLUB NEWS

## First Baptist Church

W. Hal Hunter, Pastor

9:45 SUNDAY SCHOOL for all ages  
11:00 MORNING WORSHIP  
6:45 TRAINING UNION for church members.  
8:00 EVENING WORSHIP.  
7:30 WEDNESDAY, Prayer Meeting.

## Church Of God

(Barfield Highway)

Rev. James W. Miller, Pastor  
9:45 A. M. Sunday School.  
11:00 A. M. Morning Worship.  
7:00 P. M.—L. W. W. B. (Parsonage).  
7:30 P. M. Evening Worship.  
7:30 P. M. Tuesday, Prayer Meeting.  
7:00 P. M. Friday, Children's Church.  
7:30 P. M. Friday, Y. P. E.

## Dorcas Sewing Circle

The Dorcas Sewing Circle of the Pahokee First Baptist Church will meet at the church Monday, May 19, at 3 p. m. All women of the church are invited to join in the circle's work of mending and distributing clothing for needy families.

A Vacation Bible School clinic for all workers planning to take part in the vacation school at the Pahokee First Baptist Church will be held at the church at 10 a. m. Tuesday, May 20. A covered-dish luncheon will be served at noon.

## Christian Science Group Of Canal Point

Certainty that mortality will give way before immortality permeates the Lesson-Sermon which will be read in all Christian Science churches next Sunday. The subject is "MORTALS AND IMMORTALS."

The Golden Text is from Romans (8: 8, 9): "They that are in the flesh cannot please God. But ye are not in the flesh, but in the Spirit, if so be that the Spirit of God dwell in you."

Passages in the Lesson-Sermon from the King James Version of the Bible, include the following from I Corinthians (15:53): "For this corruptible must put on incorruption, and this mortal must put on immortality."

Corroborative passages from "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy include: "The evidence of man's immortality will become more apparent, as material beliefs are given up and the immortal facts of being are admitted" (p. 428).

## Woman's Club Hears Pahokee Attorney

Ralph O. Johnson, president of the Pahokee Chamber of Commerce, was guest speaker at a program luncheon of the Pahokee Woman's Club held at the clubhouse Tuesday.

The speaker reviewed the work the chamber has done during the past year and listed some of the goals that have been set up for the coming year. He said this year's membership drive was very successful, resulting in more than 100 per cent increase in the chamber's membership over last year.

At the conclusion of his talk Mr. Johnson conducted a C of C quiz contest which was won by Mrs. R. J. Schroder. She was presented with a 1953 C of C membership as an award. John Sutterfield, chamber secretary, was also introduced as a luncheon guest.

Mrs. Frank Friend gave a report on the meeting of the State Federation which she attended recently in Jacksonville. Mrs. Don Hillier, delegate to the recent County Federation meeting in Lake Worth, also gave a report.

On the hostess committee in charge of luncheon arrangements were Mrs. Joseph Kahn, Mrs. Violet Hitchcock, Mrs. Leon Spooner and Mrs. A. E. Morgan.

## Fay Taylor Circle

The Fay Taylor Circle, Pahokee First Baptist WMS, at a meeting at the home of the chairman, Mrs. C. L. Shirley, Monday, voted to purchase equipment for the church nursery and kitchen as its community mission project for the month. It was announced circle members will serve refreshments to the church choir through the month of June.

Mrs. Ralph Grimes was elected co-chairman of the circle and will act as hostess at the June meeting. Mrs. Thompson, program chairman, spoke on "Crenshaws in the Everglades."

## Inspection Of Cars

Cpl. E. D. Dugger, who was transferred recently from West Palm Beach to the Pahokee office of the Florida Highway Patrol, conducted a safety check of cars on SR 15 at Canal Point Monday. Of the 195 motor vehicles checked only 73 passed minimum safety requirements. A total of 262 defects were found in the vehicles checked and it was necessary to make two arrests and issue three written warnings during the inspection period.

## The Methodist Church Canal Point, Florida

James R. Roy, Pastor  
9:00 A. M.—Sunday School  
1:00 A. M.—Morning Worship.  
5:30 P. M.—Junior and MYF.  
7:30 P. M.—Evening Service.

## Canal Point Missionary Baptist

C. J. Smyly, Pastor

MONDAY  
Ione Patterson Circle of W. M. U. meets every second Monday of each month, 2:30 p. m.  
General W. M. S. meeting every third Monday of each month, 8:00 p. m.

Deacons meeting on Monday night before first Wednesday of each month, 8:00 p. m.

TUESDAY  
Auxiliary Day.

WEDNESDAY  
Sunbeams, 2:30 p. m.  
G. A. S., 3:30 p. m.  
Prayer Meeting, 8:00 p. m.

THURSDAY  
Annie Jones Circle to W. M. U. meets first Tuesday of each month, 8:00 p. m.

## Bride's Shower For Mrs. Carl Boyette

Miss Erma Lee Peaden, who became the bride of Cpl. Carl Boyette, on Tuesday, was honored Monday at a party and bride's shower held at the home of Mrs. Joe Hatton, Sr., on Bacom Point Road, with Mrs. Joe Hatton, Jr., Mrs. John Hatton and Mrs. Joe Hatton, Sr., hostesses.

The bride's table was centered with a white ruffled miniature umbrella and the refreshments table, covered with lace, had as a centerpiece a crystal punch bowl encircled with double yellow hibiscus and fern. Bouquets of garden flowers were used to decorate the living room and sun porch.

Miss Louise Hatton sang two solos, accompanied at the piano by Miss Rita Faye Hurt.

The hostesses assisted the honoree with the opening and display of the many lovely gifts.

## Grace Jernigan Circle

Mrs. H. C. Graham presented a program on "Needs of Christian Homes" at a meeting of the Grace Jernigan Circle, First Baptist WMS, at the home of Mrs. Wiley Tillis Tuesday night.

Others taking part in the program were Mrs. Eva Humphrey, Mrs. R. O. Lampi, Mrs. Frank Thompson and Mrs. Tillis. Mrs. R. S. Douthit was in charge of the devotionals.

The circle voted to furnish shades for the windows at "babyland," the church nursery, as its community mission project for the month.

## Funeral In Georgia For Mrs. Amerson

Mrs. Emma Brett Amerson, 52, died at her home in Canal Point 2 a. m. Tuesday, May 13, following a long illness.

Mrs. Amerson is survived by her husband, Tom Lee Amerson, Canal Point; four sons, Winifred, Floyd and Fld Amerson, all of Canal Point, and Buddy Amerson of Tampa; one daughter, Mrs. Lester Hoyle of Canal Point, and three grandchildren, Gordon, Jimmy and Betty Hoyle of Canal Point.

Funeral services and burial were held in Swainsboro, Ga., on Thursday of this week. Berry's Funeral Home was in charge of local arrangements.

## Firth - Allen

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Anderson of Pahokee have announced wedding plans for their niece, Miss Althea May Firth, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Miller Firth of Portland, Me., who will become the bride of John Arthur Allen, Jr., of Greenfield, Mass., on Sunday, May 18, at 4 p. m.

The single ring, candlelight ceremony will be held at the Pahokee First Methodist Church, with the Rev. Ralph W. Todd, pastor of the church officiating.

The bride's only attendant will be her sister, Mrs. Dorothy Ayala, of Miami, matron of honor, H. J. Anderson, uncle of the bride, will be Mr. Allen's best man, William Van Zonneveldt and Robert H. Hosken of West Palm Beach will serve as ushers.

Milton Carpenter, baritone, and Mrs. Mildred Todd, organist, will present the program of nuptial music.

The ceremony will be followed by a wedding supper at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Anderson on Bacom Point. No formal invitations are being issued but all friends are invited.

Miss Firth is a graduate of New York University. Mr. Allen, who graduated from Greenfield High School, is now a professional photographer.

Sweet corn in iced bags will be marketed on a fairly wide scale in an experiment this summer, according to A & P Food Stores. The chain is cooperating with several agricultural experiment stations in a project aimed at preserving the natural sugar content and flavor of the corn.

## Last Rites Held For Mrs. Annie E. Lee, 79

Funeral services for Mrs. Annie Elizabeth Lee, 79, of Pahokee were held in the chapel of Berry's Funeral Home Wednesday of this week at 10 a. m., with the Rev. Ralph W. Todd, pastor to the Pahokee First Methodist Church officiating.

Mrs. Lee died at the Everglades Memorial Hospital Tuesday at 2 p. m., following an illness of several weeks. Formerly of Long Island, N. Y., she had made her home for the past several years with her granddaughter, Mrs. E. C. Johnson, and family in Pahokee.

She is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Sara Bertha Barbee of Seaford Long Island, N. Y., one granddaughter, Mrs. Johnson, and four great grandchildren, all of Pahokee.

The body was sent by Berry's Funeral Home to Seaford, N. Y., Wednesday afternoon for burial.

## Danny Mullis Chosen Student Body Head

Danny Mullis was elected this week by the Pahokee High School student body president of the Student Council for the 1952-53 school year.

Other council officers chosen by the students were Sylvia Wilson, vice president; Eleanor Walker, treasurer and Bonnie Miller, secretary.

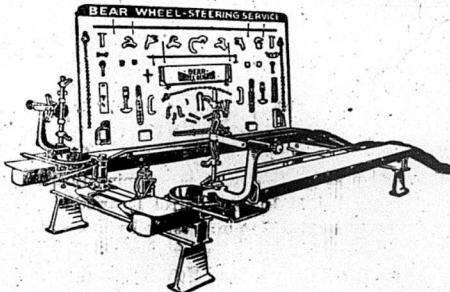
Mrs. George Townsend of St. Petersburg was the guest the past week of her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Homer J. Clause, in Pahokee.

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Mrs. Colin Mathews, daughters of Ed Alderman, has been selected as secretary of the Okeechobee Chamber of Commerce. Miss Goff, who has served for several months, declined to accept a reduction in salary and will return to North Carolina.

Mrs. Eppie Rule of Basin, Montana, chanced to see a copy of The Everglades News and because she owns property in this region she sends a subscription and says: "For several years we have taken another paper that pretends to give news of the Everglades but I found more Glades news in one issue of your paper than there was in the other paper in a year."

Editors Note: Mrs. Rule is still ardent supporter of The Everglades News.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Campbell of West Palm Beach were visitors here Saturday.

Mrs. Charles R. Baker of Melbourne was in Canal Point the first of the week to look after business matters of her late husband.

Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Hammer and their daughter, Mrs. Taylor, last week visited Bartow and other points in the interior of the state where Mr. Hammer transacted business.

The Pahokee Woman's Club held its regular meeting Monday afternoon at the club house. The program was in charge of the humane department with Mrs. W. J. Larrimore as leader, which gave the following program: Piano solo,

Mrs. Graham; reading, Hannah York; reading, Dorothy June York; reading, Mrs. J. R. York; violin and piano duo, Susie Maxwell and Margaret York. Refreshments of salad, saltines, cake and lemonade were served.

Mrs. C. Smith and children are visiting a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Cranford and family.

Mrs. E. Lindrose was called to Punta Gorda last week to see her sister, Mrs. J. Conover, who was very ill.

Mrs. W. C. Croft of Miami is visiting her brother, Sam Neil and family.

York Colson of Fort Lauderdale saw the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. York and family Sunday.

Mrs. Kaltenbruner has a shipment of new ties and belts.

Miss Bernice Brown is clerking at Mrs. Kaltenbruner's store.

Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Lovell had family of Plant City were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Barfield and family during the week.

C. C. Morris of West Palm Beach, a former resident of Pahokee, visited in Pahokee Tuesday.

C. F. McQuaig of Montverde came Sunday for his wife and little son, who have been visiting their folks, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Tiffin and family.

Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Wilder and friend of theirs from Plant City stopped by Pahokee Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Wilder and family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Roberts and daughter Marian, Chas. R. Barfield and Elsie Barfield were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Barfield and family Sunday.

Several who visited in West Palm Beach this week were Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Crosby, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Tiffin, Robert Schroder, Vena Mae Tiffin and Mrs. McQuaig.

A. J. Huskey, Jr. was out Tuesday from Little River, where he and his mother now live.

Robert Wollgang, the 10 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wollgang of Canal Point was drowned Wednesday afternoon in West Palm Beach canal.

I. W. Weeks formerly of St. Petersburg is a new resident of Canal Point. He is working for his brother, J. G. Weeks, the agent for Standard Oil Co.

Fred J. Taylor and family have moved from one of the "Magaw apartments" to the Wolf house which has been vacated by Principal H. L. Speer, who has moved to the teachers' house.

Dow Geiger, who is in the hardware business at Melbourne, would like to return to Canal Point, according to persons who met him when they went there to attend the funeral of Charles R. Baker. Mr. Geiger is a brother to Mrs. J. E. Carter and every body on East Beach got to know him while he was in the Carter store and all will be glad to see him and his wife back in Canal Point.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward A. Forbes and little daughter were out from West Palm Beach for a week end visit to Mr. and Mrs. Jack Barrett. Mr. Forbes is doing work for Contractor C. C. Lightbown on Ocean Boulevard near Lantana.

L. N. Simon and F. J. Watkins of West Palm Beach were in Canal Point Tuesday to attend to business matters in connection with their real estate holdings.

Rev. and Mrs. Paul C. Filly and Mrs. W. B. Bonham returned Tuesday from Daytona Beach, where they attended the Methodist conference. Mr. Filly was returned as pastor to the Canal Point congregation.

J. G. Weeks, agent for the Standard Oil Company has obtained a telephone for his office near the F. E. C. railroad station, and his customers can now phone their orders to him direct.

Capt. Gordon Mimbs and Myrtle Belcher from a dredge boat in St. Lucie canal were married Easter Sunday at Okeechobee by Rev. E. M. C. Dunklin.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Hanson gave a delightful bridge party Saturday night at their home. Nice prizes were awarded to Dr. Thomas, who made high score. Refreshments of frozen salad and cake were served. Those attending were: Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Poland, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. McLarty, Misses Eupice and Marie Swicord, Natalie Moore, Dr. Thomas, Johnnie Thomas and W. P. Jernigan.

Mrs. J. E. Spooner of Georgia is returned to Pahokee last Friday to spend some months with her folks.

A. J. York attended the memorial exercises of the Confederates soldiers at West Palm Beach Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Salvatore and family and Johnnie Salvatore spent Easter in Fort Meade.

Mrs. B. Harring of Pembroke, Fla., visited her sister, Mrs. C. Salvatore and family last week.

Tom Cranford went to Tallahassee last week on business.

Charlie Carroll and Tom Gray motored to Hollywood Sunday.

Mrs. Edwards and baby of West Palm Beach were guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Crawford and family last week.

## Personal

Pvt. Charles Humphries, who spent two weeks visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Humphries, Jr., Pahokee last month before reporting for overseas duty at Seattle, Wash., is now in Tokyo, Japan, according to word received by his parents.

Mrs. M. C. Carter returned to her home in Canal Point last week after a visit of several weeks with relatives in Ohio, Massachusetts and Virginia.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Alley have as guests her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Anderson Hackney of Stone, Ky.

M. Miller, proprietor of the Pahokee Shoe Shop, is recuperating from major surgery performed recently at St. Mary's Hospital in West Palm Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. Inman W. Weeks have as guests this week their son-in-law and daughter, Dr. and Mrs. Edward L. Hamilton, and children of Orlando.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Humphries had as guests Sunday his sister-in-law, Mrs. R. L. Humphries and daughter of Vidalia, Ga., and Mr. and Mrs. Peterson of Deerfield, Fla.

Harley T. Williams, who was a patient at the Everglades Memorial Hospital the first of the week, is now convalescing at the Colonnades Hotel, Palm Beach Shores.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Blackwell visited his mother in Dundee over the weekend.

A new product, "Nurish," plant food concentrate, manufactured by Naco Fertilizer Company, is now on the market. Three times as potent as ordinary fertilizer "Nurish" can be handled without dirt, muss or fuss.

## Elks Convention In St. Pete Starts May 24

ST. PETERSBURG — Formal opening of the 46th annual convention of the Florida State Elks Association will occur here in Williams Park the evening of Saturday May 24 when a big public meeting is held with Dave Sholtz, former Florida governor and past grand exalted ruler of the BPOE, as principal speaker.

The meeting in the beautiful, downtown City park will be preceded by a parade over Central Avenue, Convention Chairman Victor W. Kuhl announced.

Registrations for the Convention begin Friday noon, May 23, at Hotel Soreno, convention headquarters, and will continue through Saturday and Sunday. It is expected that more than 2,000 Elks and their wives will attend.

Business sessions get under way Sunday afternoon and end early Monday afternoon.

The Harry-Anna Home Committee that runs the home for crippled children, will hold its annual breakfast Sunday morning at the Soreno. The President's Ball and meeting of past presidents and past district deputies are Saturday night events.

Elaborate entertainment and social affairs have been arranged for men and women, including golf tournaments for both.

Ninety-three per cent of the 672 driving license revocations and suspensions in the state of Florida during March resulted from charges of driving while drunk, says the Florida Department of Public Safety.

The U. S. Army recently announced that its Quartermaster Corps would cooperate with the Agriculture Department in the kenaf development program, giving the program a definite shot in the arm.

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## With The Sick

Mrs. Ben Walker expects to return to her home in Canal Point within the next few days after undergoing an operation in Good Samaritan hospital in West Palm Beach ten days ago. Mr. Walker said Thursday morning that Mrs. Walker is getting along as well as could be expected.

Albert Phillips, an employee of the Palm Beach county road department for many years, is still confined to his home in Pahokee as the result of a heart attack several weeks ago. When first stricken Mr. Phillips was taken to Everglades Memorial hospital where he spent several days before being returned to his home.

Mrs. B. Elliott is expected to return home sometime this week from Duke University Hospital at Durham, N. C., where she has been undergoing treatment for two weeks. Mr. Elliott accompanied her and was at her bedside during the time she was at Duke. She had been ill in the local hospital for several days before going to Duke. Relatives report that she is doing fine.

Julian Chandler is recuperating at Everglades Memorial hospital following an operation. Hospital attaches believe that he will be able to go home within the next week or ten days.

D. T. Connell is back at his home north of Canal Point after spending several weeks in a West Palm Beach hospital. He is improving slowly following a stroke several weeks ago.

Otto Bleech is at Everglades Memorial hospital recuperating from a severe heart attack on April 26. His doctor recommended six weeks in bed after the attack. Mrs. Bleech reported yesterday morning that he is getting along "just fine" but that he still has several weeks to go before he can get out.

Will Hull remains in about the same condition at Everglades Memorial hospital where he has been for many months.

## County Heads Told To Shave Requests

County department heads were on notice this week that any proposed expenditures for the coming budget year should he shaved to the bone.

Monday the county commission instructed R. B. McKee, the board's auditor, to notify all department heads that the board was ready to start considering the budget for the coming year. They asked that budget requests be submitted in order that the commission could start to study the requests.

Commissioner Paul Rardin, Canal Point, advised McKee to tell the department heads that this "is an economy minded commission."

The 1951-52 budget under which the county is now operating was prepared while Paul Rardin of Canal Point was chairman of the board. This budget showed a slight reduction over budgets of the several years immediately preceding Rardin's chairmanship.

## Stuart Gets \$7,204 From Power Company

STUART — John M. Eaw, Jr., district manager of the Florida Power & Light Co., Wednesday turned over a check for \$7,204 to the Stuart city commission.

The check represented the city's 6 per cent net of residential and commercial revenue for the past year from the city of Stuart in accordance with a 30-year franchise dated April 1, 1951. Deducted from the gross were occupational, personal and real taxes.

## FFA Quartet Will Be In State Contest

The talented quartet of the Pahokee Chapter, Future Farmers of America, composed of Millard Stanley, Bobby Schroder, Dick Atkins and Charles McCurdy, won an easy first place over Redland, Stuart and Sebring in vocal quartet competition at the annual FFA district contest held in Stuart Friday.

This makes the Pahokee FFA Quartet eligible to compete in the State Contest at the annual convention of the Florida Future Farmers of America in June. The Pahokee FFA Quartet was also tops in the district contest last year.

## Most Successful Is Past Sugar Season

CLEWISTON — The sugar season just closed was the most successful in the history of sugar production in the Everglades, according to Harry T. Vaughn, general manager of the United States Sugar Corporation.

The record grind established this season was 1,058,847 tons of sugar cane which produced 624,321 bags of raw sugar, which is shipped to the Savannah Sugar Refining Company in Savannah and later finds its way to grocers' shelves under the brand of "Dixie Crystals."

The Clewiston sugar house processes cane from approximately

30,000 acres in the 'Glades and annually attracts thousands of visitors who find a trip through the big mill a thrilling experience. During the operating season this year nearly 40,000 persons were taken on conducted tours through the mill, 3,000 more than enjoyed the experience last season.

## \$89,000 Land Deal

WEST PALM BEACH — In a \$89,000 deal, George Morros, Lee county, has sold to Mr. and Mrs. Carl Barber of Belle Glade, tracts of acreage near there.

The land comprises all of section 31 and part of section 30, in township 44 south, range 37 east, according to a deed filed Wednesday.

## Peaden - Boyette

Miss Etma Lee Peaden, daughter of P. D. Peaden of Pahokee, became the bride of Cpl. Carl Boyette, U. S. Army, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. Boyette of Pensacola, Fla. Tuesday, May 13, at 6 p. m.

The single ring ceremony was held at her father's home, with the Rev. W. C. Hay of West Virginia officiating.

The bride wore a two-piece, street-length dress of aqua and carried a white prayer book.

Following a brief wedding trip, Cpl. Boyette will return to Fort Jackson, Columbia, S. C., where he is stationed and Mrs. Boyette plans to join him in Columbia in the near future.



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